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PATENT APPLICATION

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Notice of
Appeal
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In re Application of : Roger MASSEY
 Serial no. : 09/585,222
 Filed : June 1, 2000
 For : BAR-STOCK BALL VALVE
 Group Art Unit : 3754
 Examiner : D. Austin Bonderer
 Docket : GEMVAL P15AUS

The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
 Washington, D.C. 20231

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
 TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed February 1, 2002 finally rejecting claims 1-3 and 5-8.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1. STATUS OF APPLICANT

- other than small entity
 small entity,

2. FEE FOR FILING NOTICE OF APPEAL

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(b) the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> small entity | \$160 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> other than small entity | \$320 |

Notice of Appeal fee due: \$160

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3. EXTENSION OF TERM

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply.

(a) Applicant petitions for an extension of time for the total number of months checked below:

<u>Extension (months)</u>	<u>Fee for other than small entity</u>	<u>Fee for small entity</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$ 110	\$ 55
<input type="checkbox"/> two months	\$ 400	\$200
<input type="checkbox"/> three months	\$ 920	\$460
<input type="checkbox"/> four months	\$1,440	\$720
<input type="checkbox"/> five months	\$1,960	\$980

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If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this petition therefor.

(check and complete the next item, if applicable)

- An extension for ___ months has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$___ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

**Extension fee due with this request \$___
or**

- (b) Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

4. TOTAL FEE DUE

The total fee due is:

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Extension fee (if any)	\$ 0
TOTAL FEE DUE	
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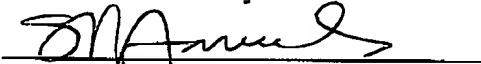
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- Attached is a check in the sum of \$___
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6. FEE DEFICIENCY

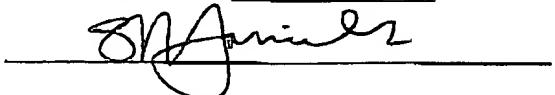
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